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Head Swim Team Coach

The Quail Valley Marlins Swim Team is looking to fill the position of Head Coach for the 2024 season. Located in Gaithersburg near Montgomery Village, Quail Valley has an excellent reputation as a strong, competitive team with tons of spirit. We are looking for someone with the experience and dedication to foster all ages of swimmers from 4 to 18 years old. Our team has approximately 90 swimmers and will compete in Division M.

Head Coach Requirements:

- At least 18 years old
- Previous coaching and competitive swimming experience preferred
- Familiarity with the rules and procedures of the MCSL
- Ability to teach and improve swimmers' skills for all four strokes, turns, and starts
- Strong communication and interpersonal skills, organization and management skills, and the ability to work in a positive and supportive manner with children of all ages and ability levels, as well as with their parents and leaders of the club
- Up to date Lifeguard, AED, CPR, and First Aid Certifications required (also prefer Pool Operators License)
- Experience with the swim team automation software Meet Manager

Head Coach Duties and Responsibilities:

- Plan for and attend all A, B and Mini practices and meets
- Work with assistant coaches to facilitate practices and formulate drills
- Develop, generate and post weekly line-ups for A and B meets
- Lead and manage the team at weekly A and B Dual Meets, Mini Meets, Relay Carnival, Coaches Long Course, Divisionals, Relay and Individual All Stars
- Provide supportive and constructive feedback to all swimmers at meets and practices
- Provide information and feedback to parents and team representatives regarding swimmer needs and/or concerns that may arise
- Provide direction, mentoring, and positive leadership to coaching staff and swimmers
- Encourage and participate in all team spirit functions, events, pot lucks, etc.

Afternoon practices will start following Memorial Day 2024, followed by morning and afternoon practices once school is out. For more information about our team, visit our website: https://qvmarlins.swimtopia.com

Competitive pay based on experience and performance. Please send resume and letter of interest to <u>QVMarlinsSwimTeam@gmail.com</u>